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Dear Parents,

The Celebrate Israel Parade will take place, I"YH, on Sunday, June 5th, rain or shine. Our Parade theme this year will be "Mizmor Yerushalayim". We are looking forward to a strong YDH showing on the day of the Parade! **Attendance is mandatory for 4<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> Graders.** Parents are encouraged to march with us. Please be aware that the Parade Committee does not allow strollers along the Parade route. Marchers will not be allowed to carry large bags, backpacks, pocketbooks, etc. and are encouraged to use fanny-packs, if necessary.

Important times and places are listed below:

- Distribution of Parade t-shirts will begin at 11:00 AM. Students traveling on the bus should **arrive at Yeshiva Derech HaTorah by 11:30 AM with a light snack and a drink (please, no glass bottles).**
- We will be departing from Yeshiva Derech HaTorah at **11:45 AM SHARP** - so please be on time.
- We will assemble at **Section 6W, 53<sup>rd</sup> Street, between 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Avenues**, at 12:40 PM, behind the Hannah Senesh School.
- Our march lasts approximately 45 minutes.
- **After we turn off 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue onto 74<sup>th</sup> Street**, those parents who wish to pick up their children may march with us until we reach the buses and the parent volunteer bus counselors can sign them out. **Please help us ensure the safety of all of our marchers by cooperating with the bus counselors. Please do not take your child until his name is checked off the bus list at the buses.**

Rabbi Elimelech Chanales  
*Principal*

Sima Schulgasser  
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*General Studies Principal  
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Yeshiva Derech HaTorah has been assigned an organized spectator section on the east side of 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue between 63<sup>rd</sup> and 64<sup>th</sup> Streets. We would like to encourage the YDH family to gather at that spot to cheer us on, and it will also be convenient for those parents who will make the turn off of 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue with us to pick up their children and sign them off at the buses.

Sincerely,

Rabbi Elimelech Chanales,  
Principal